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# INTRODUCTION

The Refugee Programs Branch, California Department of Social Services is publishing this Resources Directory to inform communities of the services and resources available for refugees in the State of California. The agencies included in this directory responded to an invitation sent to all California refugee service agencies requesting a description of their services. The Refugee Programs Branch extends its appreciation to all the agencies that responded and are represented in the directory. If you have any changes or wish to have your agency included in future editions of this directory, please follow the instructions on the last page of this directory.

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## **STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL (SAC) ON REFUGEE ASSISTANCE AND SERVICES**

In accordance with the Refugee Act of 1980, the California State Advisory Council (SAC) on Refugee Assistance and Services was established by the California Department of Social Services (CDSS).

The SAC meets periodically to analyze critical issues affecting refugees and assures citizen involvement in policy discussions crucial to the development of a cost-effective, sensitive, comprehensive, and successful refugee resettlement program. The CDSS attempts to keep SAC informed on current issues affecting refugee resettlement in California and solicits advice from SAC on the administration of the refugee resettlement process. The advice given to CDSS by SAC through formal recommendations and general discussions at SAC meetings has been given serious consideration by the CDSS and incorporated in the development of the refugee resettlement process in California.

As specified in the SAC by-laws, the SAC is intended to represent a cross-section of experience from all sectors involved in or affected by the refugee resettlement process. Thus, the 15 members of SAC are selected considering ethnic representation, expertise, constituency, geographical location, and association representation. Membership is defined by two categories, public members and organizational/agency members. Appointments are as follows:

- Seven positions are held by members of the public refugee community selected from nominations made by Mutual Assistance Associations, Voluntary Resettlement Agencies, service providers, and other interested organizations on a statewide basis.
- Nine organizational/agency positions have been allocated. One nominee is submitted by each of the following to fill these positions:
  - Governor's Office
  - California State Refugee Forums
  - Joint VOLAG Committee
  - Director, California Department of Health Services
  - Chief, Refugee Programs Branch
  - County Welfare Director's Association
  - County Refugee Coordinators
  - Local Refugee Health Program Coordinators

The seven public members serve for three-year terms beginning at the date in which approval is provided by the CDSS. Public members are allowed only two consecutive terms. The nine organizational/agency members serve for three-year terms as well beginning at the date at which approval is provided by the CDSS and commencing September 30 three years from that date. Organizational/agency members are allowed as many consecutive terms as their nominating agency so chooses.

Members do not receive a salary for serving on the SAC, but are reimbursed for travel expenses incurred to attend the meetings, in accordance with CDSS travel policies.

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## AGENCIES BY NAME

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SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Employment Services, English Language Training, and Transportation.

### **ALLIANCE FOR AFRICAN ASSISTANCE**

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**ARMENIAN EVANGELICAL SOCIAL SERVICE CENTER**

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**ASIAN AMERICAN RESOURCE CENTER**

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SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.

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Los Angeles, CA 90015

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SERVICES PROVIDED: Refugee Employment Program (REP) and Refugee/Immigrant Training & Employment Program (RITE).

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF ORANGE COUNTY**

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**CATHOLIC CHARITIES REFUGEE AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES**

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SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, Information/Referrals, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, and Immigration Services.

**CENTER FOR FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY**

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SERVICES PROVIDED: Health Care/Disability Evaluation.



### **COMMUNITY-BASED EDUCATION AND DEVELOPMENT. CBD COLLEGE**

Location: 5724 West 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Suite 314  
Los Angeles, CA 90036  
Contact: Alla Shustrov  
Phone: (323) 937-7772  
Fax: (323) 937-4472  
E-mail: [CBDCOLLEGE@aol.com](mailto:CBDCOLLEGE@aol.com)  
Website: [www.CBDCOLLEGE.COM](http://www.CBDCOLLEGE.COM)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Employment Services, English Language Training, and Vocational Training.

### **COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT SERVICES**

Location: 1335 North La Brea Avenue, Suite 3  
Los Angeles, CA 90028  
Contact: Lillie Avetisyan  
Phone: (323) 850-4676 or (818) 956-0969  
Fax: (323) 850-4670 or (818) 956-2117  
E-mail: [cesmnca@aol.com](mailto:cesmnca@aol.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Emergency Assistance (utility), Employment Services, English Language Training, Legal Services (limited), Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, and Vocational Training.

### **COMMUNITY REHABILITATION INDUSTRIES**

Location: 1500 E. Anaheim Street  
Long Beach, CA 90813  
Contact: Samon San  
Phone: (562) 591-0539  
Fax: (562) 599-2872  
E-mail: [samon@cri-lb.org](mailto:samon@cri-lb.org)  
Website: [www.cri-lb.org](http://www.cri-lb.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Refugee Resettlement, and Vocational Training.

### **EASTERN EUROPEAN SERVICE AGENCY**

Location: 2400 Moorpark Avenue, Suite 201  
San Jose, CA 95128  
Contact: Sonja Cvitanich  
Phone: (408) 297-7348  
Fax: (408) 297-7354  
E-mail: [cvitanich@hotmail.com](mailto:cvitanich@hotmail.com)  
Website: [www.eesa.org](http://www.eesa.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Mental Health Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, and Youth Services.

### **ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL OPPORTUNITIES**

Location: 1445 Old Oakland Road  
San Jose, CA 95112  
Contact: LeAnn Patterson  
Phone: (408) 971-0888 ext. 261  
Fax: (408) 971-9140  
E-mail: None

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, and Transportation.

### **ETHIOPIAN ASSOCIATION COMMUNITY IN FRESNO**

Location: 3655 East Tulare  
Fresno, CA 93702  
Contact: Desta Fitsum  
Phone: (559) 233-2499  
Fax: (559) 485-2665

SERVICES PROVIDED: Cultural Orientation, Translator/Interpreter Services, and Transportation.

### **FIRM, INC (FRESNO INTERDENOMINATIONAL REFUGEE MINISTRIES)**

Location: 1940 N. Fresno Street  
Fresno, CA 93703  
Contact: Rev. Sharon Stanley, Executive Director  
Phone: (559) 487-1500 Ext. #1509  
Fax: (559) 487-1550  
E-mail: [soulhikr@aol.com](mailto:soulhikr@aol.com)  
Website: [www.firminc.org](http://www.firminc.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, Vocational Training, Youth Services, Mentoring, Community Gardens, Resettlement Advocacy/Case Support Service, Neighborhood Training Projects, Theological Education, and Community Empowerment.

### **FOUNDATION FOR GLOBAL TECHNOLOGY AND HUMAN SERVICES**

Location: 4873 West Lane, Suite C  
Stockton, CA 95210  
Contact: William Michael-Adikhai or Uweh Ukpong  
Phone: (209) 472-9326 or (650) 876-0706  
Fax: (209) 472-1138  
E-mail: [fgthservice02@yahoo.com](mailto:fgthservice02@yahoo.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Refugee Resettlement, Vocational Training, Youth Services, Low Cost Housing Programs/Assistance, and Immigrations Services.

### **FRESNO CENTER FOR NEW AMERICANS**

Location: 4879 E. Kings Canyon Road  
Fresno, CA 93727  
Contact: Lue N. Yang  
Phone: (559) 255-8395  
Fax: (559) 255-1656  
E-mail: [fresnocenter.com](mailto:fresnocenter.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, and Youth Services.

### **FRESNO COUNTY ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES COMMISSION**

Location: 1900 Mariposa Mall, Suite 303  
Fresno, CA 93721  
Contact: Lalo Acevedo  
Phone: (559) 263-1293  
Fax: (559) 263-1187  
E-mail: [Lalo.acevedo@fresnoeoc.org](mailto:Lalo.acevedo@fresnoeoc.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Employment Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, and Individual Development Accounts.

### **IMMIGRATION AND REFUGEE DEPARTMENT**

Location: 1530 James M. Wood Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA 90015  
Contact: Loc Nguyen  
Phone: (213) 251-3489  
Fax: (213) 251-3444  
E-mail: [lnguyen@ccharities.org](mailto:lnguyen@ccharities.org)  
Website: [CatholicCharitiesLA.org](http://CatholicCharitiesLA.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Mental Health Services, Refugee Resettlement, Immigration Services, and Youth Services.

### **INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF LOS ANGELES**

Location: 3845 Selig Place  
Los Angeles, CA 90031-3143  
Contact: Joy Hofer, Vice President  
Phone: (323) 224-3800  
Fax: (323) 224-3810  
E-mail: [iila@earthlink.net](mailto:iila@earthlink.net)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Mental Health Services, Refugee Resettlement, Transportation, Vocational Training, and Youth Services. IILA also has a Nutrition and Child Care Program.

### **INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SAN FRANCISCO**

Location: 657 Mission Street, Suite 500  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
Contact: Margi Dunlap  
Phone: (415) 538-8110  
Fax: (415) 538-8111  
E-mail: [mdunlap@iisf.org](mailto:mdunlap@iisf.org)  
Website: [www.iisf.org](http://www.iisf.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Translator/Interpreter Services, and Youth Services.

### **INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF THE EAST BAY**

Location: 297 Lee Street  
Oakland, CA 94610  
Contact: Anne Mawdsley  
Phone: (510) 451-2846  
Fax: (510) 465-3392  
E-mail: [amawdsley@iieb.org](mailto:amawdsley@iieb.org)  
Website: [www.iieb.org](http://www.iieb.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, and Vocational Training.

### **INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE – SAN FRANCISCO**

Location: 1370 Mission Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94103  
Contact: Don Climent, Regional Director  
Phone: (415) 863-3777  
Fax: (415) 863-9264  
E-mail: [don@ircsf.org](mailto:don@ircsf.org)  
Website: [www.theIRC.org](http://www.theIRC.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Refugee Resettlement and Immigration Services.

### **INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE –San Jose**

Location: 1460 Koll Circle, Suite B  
San Jose, CA 95112  
Contact: Jamal Alfakhouri, Director  
Phone: (408) 453-3536  
Fax: (408) 453-1088  
E-mail: [Director@sj.intrescom.org](mailto:Director@sj.intrescom.org)  
Website: [www.theIRC.org](http://www.theIRC.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Employment Services, Family Strengthening, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Refugee Resettlement, and Translator/Interpreter Services.

### **INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE – San Diego**

Location: 4535 30<sup>th</sup> Street, #110

San Diego, CA 92116

Contact: Robert Montgomery

Phone: (619) 641-7510

Fax: (619) 641-7520

E-mail: [bob@sd.theirc.org](mailto:bob@sd.theirc.org)

Website: [www.theirc.org](http://www.theirc.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Information/Referrals, Micro-Enterprise Training, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, Individual Development Accounts (IDA), and Youth Services.

### **INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE, INC.**

Location: 3727 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 619

Los Angeles, CA 90020

Contact: Svetlana Mollazadeh

Phone: (213) 386-6700

Fax: (213) 386-7916

E-mail: [LASTAFF@intrescom.org](mailto:LASTAFF@intrescom.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, Information/Referrals, and Refugee Resettlement.

### **JEWISH FAMILY AND CHILDREN SERVICES**

Location: 2534 Judah Street

San Francisco, CA 94122

Contact: Gayle Zahler

Phone: (415) 449-2943

Fax: (415) 449-2901

E-mail: [Émigré@JFCS.org](mailto:Émigré@JFCS.org)

Website: [www.JFCS.org](http://www.JFCS.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Mental Health Services, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, and Youth Services.

### **JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE**

Location: 1101 S. Winchester Blvd., L 237

San Jose, CA 95128

Contact: Vlada Gelford, Assistant Executive Director

Phone: (408) 556-0600

Fax: (408) 551-0091

E-mail: [jfs@jfssv.org](mailto:jfs@jfssv.org)

Website: [www.JFSSV.org](http://www.JFSSV.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, Refugee Resettlement, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.

### **JEWISH FAMILY AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES OF THE EAST BAY**

Location: 2484 Shattuck Ave., #210  
Berkeley, CA 94704  
Contact: Barbara Nelson  
Phone: (510) 704-7480 x 226  
Fax: (510) 704-7494  
E-mail: [bnelson@jfcs-eastbay.org](mailto:bnelson@jfcs-eastbay.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Elder Services, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, Refugee Resettlement, and Youth Services. Clients are being referred to Jewish Vocational Service for employment and English language training.

### **JEWISH FAMILY AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES OF THE LOS ANGELES**

Location: 6380 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 910  
Los Angeles, CA 90048  
Contact: Sima Furman  
Phone: (323) 651-5573  
Fax: (323) 651-5649  
E-mail: [jfscrep@sbeglobal.net](mailto:jfscrep@sbeglobal.net)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, and Refugee Resettlement. Clients are being referred to Jewish Vocational Service for employment, English language training.

### **JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE OF ORANGE COUNTY**

Location: 250 E. Baker Street, Suite G  
Costa Mesa, CA 92626  
Contact: Charlene Edwards, Director of Social Services  
Phone: (714) 445-4950  
Fax: (714) 445-4960  
E-mail: [jfsocsonia@earthlink.net](mailto:jfsocsonia@earthlink.net)  
Website: [www.jfsoc.org](http://www.jfsoc.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, and Refugee Resettlement.

### **JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE OF SACRAMENTO**

Location: 2862 Arden Way, Suite 103  
Sacramento, CA 95825  
Contact: Judy Turtletop, Director  
Phone: (916) 484-4400  
Fax: (916) 484-4401  
E-mail: [admin@jfssac.org](mailto:admin@jfssac.org)  
Website: [www.jfssac.org](http://www.jfssac.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Elder Services, and Refugee Resettlement.

### **JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE OF SAN DIEGO**

Location: 4651 College Avenue  
San Diego, CA 92115  
Contact: Jennifer Kenyon, Director  
Phone: (619) 229-2649  
Fax: (619) 229-1738  
E-mail: [refugee@jfssdl.org](mailto:refugee@jfssdl.org)  
Website: [www.jewishfamilyservicesd.org](http://www.jewishfamilyservicesd.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, and Refugee Resettlement.

### **JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE OF VENTURA COUNTY**

Location: 1915 East Main Street  
Ventura, CA 93001  
Contact: Fred Burgess, Senior Manager  
Phone: (805) 641-6565  
Fax: (805) 641-6560  
E-mail: [jfsventura@aol.com](mailto:jfsventura@aol.com)  
Website: [www.jfsvc.org](http://www.jfsvc.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Elder Services, and Legal Services.

### **JEWISH VOCATIONAL SERVICE**

Location: 6505 Wilshire Blvd, Suite 200  
Los Angeles, CA 90048  
Contact: Tatyana Kodner, Refugee & Immigrant Services, Manager  
Phone: (323) 761-8888 Ext 8864  
Fax: (323) 761-8574  
E-mail: [tkodner@jvsla.org](mailto:tkodner@jvsla.org)  
Website: [www.jvsla.org](http://www.jvsla.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Vocational Training, Youth Services, and Career Counseling.

### **JOHN XXIII MULTI-SERVICE CENTER – A PROGRAM OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES**

Location: 195 East San Fernando Street  
San Jose, CA 95112  
Contact: Angie Pratt  
Phone: (408) 282-8600  
Fax: (408) 280-1026  
E-mail: [apratt@ccsj.org](mailto:apratt@ccsj.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Elder Services, English Language Training, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Mental Health Services, Translator/Interpreter Services, Case Management, Food Distribution, Senior Nutrition, Nurse Managed Health Clinic, Computer Learning Center, Socialization and Adaptation, and Bi-Lingual Staff (Vietnamese, Mandarin, Cantonese, French, and Japanese).

**KURDISH HUMAN RIGHTS WATCH, INC.**

Location: 1109 E. Washington Avenue  
El Cajon, CA 92019  
Contact: Alan Zangana, Program Director  
Phone: (619) 447-9933  
Fax: (619) 447-9932  
E-mail: [kurdshrw1@aol.com](mailto:kurdshrw1@aol.com)  
Website: [www.khrw.com/sandiego](http://www.khrw.com/sandiego)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, Vocational Training, Youth Services, Housing Assistance, Homebound Outreach, and Women Issues.

**LAO FAMILY COMMUNITY OF FRESNO, INC.**

Location: 4903 East Kings Canyon Road, Suite #281  
Fresno, CA 93727  
Contact: Pao N. Fang  
Phone: (559) 453-9775  
Fax: (559) 453-9705  
E-mail: [info@laofamilyfresno.org](mailto:info@laofamilyfresno.org)  
Website: [www.laofamilyfresno.org](http://www.laofamilyfresno.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Information/Referrals, Translator/Interpreter Services, Medi-Cal Assistance, and Parenting Classes.

**LAO FAMILY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, INC.**

Location: 1551 23<sup>RD</sup> Avenue  
Oakland, CA 94606  
Contact: Chaosarn S. Chao  
Phone: (510) 533-8850  
Fax: (510) 533-1516  
E-mail: [laofamilynet@aol.org](mailto:laofamilynet@aol.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.



**LAO FAMILY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, INC.**

Location: 1865 Rumrill Blvd., Suite E  
San Pablo, CA 94806  
Contact: Chaosarn S. Chao  
Phone: (510) 215-1220  
Fax: (510) 215-1216  
E-mail: [laofamilynet@aol.com](mailto:laofamilynet@aol.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.

**LAO FAMILY COMMUNITY OF STOCKTON, INC.**

Location: 807 N. San Joaquin Street, Suite 211  
Stockton, CA 95202  
Contact: Pheng Lo, Executive Director  
Phone: (209) 466-0721  
Fax: (209) 466-6567  
E-mail: [plo@laofamilyofstockton.org](mailto:plo@laofamilyofstockton.org)  
Website: [www.laofamilyofstockton.org](http://www.laofamilyofstockton.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Elder Services, Employment Services, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Translator/Interpreter Services, and Youth Services.

**LAO KHMU ASSOCIATION, INC.**

Location: 1044 N. El Dorado Street  
Stockton, CA 95202  
Contact: Robert Khoonsrivong  
Phone: (209) 463-3410  
Fax: (209) 463-7148  
E-mail: [lkacenter@aol.com](mailto:lkacenter@aol.com)  
Website: [www.laokhmu.com](http://www.laokhmu.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, Translator/Interpreter Services, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.

**LAO SENIOR ASSOCIATION, INC.**

Location: 220 25<sup>TH</sup> Street A  
Richmond, CA 94804  
Contact: Phiane Sayarad  
Phone: (510) 237-4064  
Fax: (510) 236-4572

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Transportation, and Youth Services.

### **LAO SEREEXON DEMOCRATIC FRONT**

Location: 2434 Dover Avenue  
San Pablo, CA 94806  
Contact: Bouaphet Syghavong  
Phone: (510) 235-2330

SERVICES PROVIDED: Translator/Interpreter Services, Lao Cultural Events, and Housing Rights Counseling.

### **LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT REFUGEE EMPLOYMENT TRAINING PROJECT**

Location: 1646 S. Olive Street, Room 213  
Los Angeles, CA 90015  
Contact: Tai Vo  
Phone: (213) 745-4773  
Fax: (213) 746-2642  
E-mail: [tvo@lausd.k12.ca.us](mailto:tvo@lausd.k12.ca.us)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Job Readiness Preparation, Skills Training, Work Experience, Job Development and Placement, and Supportive Services.

### **LIBERIAN COMMUNITY FOUNDATION**

Location: 4320 Stockton Blvd.  
Sacramento, CA 95820  
Contact: Rev. Roosevelt Tarlesson  
Phone: (916) 454-4013  
Fax: (916) 454-5013  
E-mail: [lcf@liberian.com](mailto:lcf@liberian.com)  
Website: [www.liberian.com](http://www.liberian.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Transportation, Vocational Training, and Youth Services. Also, agriculture base settlement; farming, rural housing, and food production. Material Supply; clothes, shoes, furniture, utensils, appliances, toys, bedding, emergency food, etc. Agriculture Program and Material Supply Services are available to both service providers and clients.

### **LOS ANGELES ORT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE - SHERMAN OAKS BRANCH**

Location: 15130 Ventura Blvd., Suite 250  
Sherman Oaks, CA 91403  
Contact: Shahla Hashemi  
Phone: (818) 382-6004  
Fax: (818) 788-3997  
E-mail: [laortshahla@hotmail.com](mailto:laortshahla@hotmail.com)  
Website: [www.laort.com](http://www.laort.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, English Language Training, and Vocational Training.

### **LOS ANGELES ORT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE**

Location: 6435 Wilshire Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA 90048  
Contact: Joseph Neman, Director  
Phone: (323) 966-5444  
Fax: (323) 966-5455  
E-mail: [director.@lao.com](mailto:director.@lao.com)  
Website: [www.laort.com](http://www.laort.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, English Language Training, and Vocational Training.

### **OLD MARSHALL SCHOOL-REFUGEE PROGRAM**

Location: 2718 G Street  
Sacramento, CA 95816  
Contact: Aliane Murphy-Hasan  
Phone: (916) 264-3373  
Fax: (916) 264-3377  
E-mail: [aliane-hasan.OMarsh\\_PO.SCUSD@sac-city.k12.ca.us](mailto:aliane-hasan.OMarsh_PO.SCUSD@sac-city.k12.ca.us)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Employment Services, English Language Training, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.

### **PACIFIC ASIAN CONSORTIUM IN EMPLOYMENT (PACE)**

Location: 1541 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 502  
Los Angeles, CA 90017  
Contact: Albert Sy, Project Director  
Phone: (213) 207-1332  
Fax: (213) 353-0194  
E-mail: [asywod1332@yahoo.com](mailto:asywod1332@yahoo.com)  
Website: [www.pacela.org](http://www.pacela.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Cultural Orientation, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Information/Referrals, Transportation, Vocational Training, Youth Services Worksource Development Services, Business Development Service, Headstart-Adult Literacy GED, and Construction & Environmental Services.

### **PROGRAM FOR TORTURE VICTIMS**

Location: 3655 S. Grand Avenue, Suite 290  
Los Angeles, CA 90007  
Contact: Noemi Rossler  
Phone: (213) 747-4944  
Fax: (213) 747-4662  
E-mail: [nrossler@ptvla.org](mailto:nrossler@ptvla.org)  
Website: [www.ptvla.org](http://www.ptvla.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Emergency Assistance, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, Translator/Interpreter Services.

### **REFUGEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

Location: 3295 Meade Avenue  
San Diego, CA 92116  
Contact: Charles Bell, PhD  
Phone: (619) 284-1184  
Fax: (619) 284-2084  
E-mail: [Bell18575@msn.com](mailto:bell18575@msn.com)  
Website: [www.christchurch2000.com](http://www.christchurch2000.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Health Services, Information/Referrals, and Translator/Interpreter Services.

### **REFUGEE TRANSITIONS**

Location: 870 Market Street, Suite 1219  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
Contact: Muhamed Tokmic  
Phone: (415) 989-2151  
Fax: (415) 989-2153  
E-mail: [services@reftrans.org](mailto:services@reftrans.org)  
Website: [www.reftrans.org](http://www.reftrans.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Employment Services, English Language Training, and Family Literacy Instruction.

### **SACRAMENTO LAO FAMILY COMMUNITY, INC.**

Location: 5840 Franklin Boulevard  
Sacramento, CA 95824  
Contact: Xia Kao Vang  
Phone: (916) 424-0864  
Fax: (916) 424-1861  
E-mail: [saclao@yahoo.com](mailto:saclao@yahoo.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Information/Referrals, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, and Youth Services.

### **SACRAMENTO REFUGEE MINISTRY**

Location: 2118 K Street  
Sacramento, CA 95816  
Contact: Maurine Huang  
Phone: (916) 492-2591  
Fax: (916) 492-2628  
E-mail: [info@map-srm.org](mailto:info@map-srm.org)  
Website: [www.map-srm.org](http://www.map-srm.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Information/Referrals, Micro-Enterprise Training, Refugee Resettlement.

**ST. ANSELM CROSS-CULTURAL COMMUNITY CENTER**

Location: 5250 Santa Monica Boulevard #305  
Los Angeles, CA 90029  
Contact: Anna Baghdassarian, Site Director  
Phone: (323) 667-0489  
Fax: (323) 667-2271  
E-mail: [anna@anselmcenter.org](mailto:anna@anselmcenter.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Refugee Resettlement, and Translator/Interpreter Services.

**SAN JOAQUIN INDO-CHINESE ASSOCIATION, INC.**

Location: 4502 N. Pershing Avenue, Suite C  
Stockton, CA 95207  
Contact: Sen Nguyen  
Phone: (209) 472-7145  
Fax: (209) 472-1107  
E-mail: [senguyen1@juno.com](mailto:senguyen1@juno.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, and Youth Services.

**SOUTHEAST ASIAN ASSISTANCE CENTER**

Location: 5625 24<sup>TH</sup> Street  
Sacramento, CA 95822  
Contact: Laura Leonelli  
Phone: (916) 421-1036  
Fax: (916) 421-6731  
E-mail: [saacentr@yahoo.com](mailto:saacentr@yahoo.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Information/Referrals, Mental Health Services, and Translator/Interpreter Services.

**SOUTHEAST ASIAN COMMUNITY CENTER**

Location: 875 O'Farrell Street  
San Francisco, CA 94109  
Contact: Philip Nguyen, Executive Director  
Phone: (415) 885-2743  
Fax: (415) 885-3253  
E-mail: [seaccphilip@juno.com](mailto:seaccphilip@juno.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Mental Health Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, and Vocational Training.

### **SOUTHEAST ASIAN COMMUNITY CENTER**

Location: 1415 Koll Circle #108

San Jose, CA 95112

Contact: Megan Bui

Phone: (408) 436-8438

Fax: (408) 436-8745

E-mail: [seaccmegan@juno.com](mailto:seaccmegan@juno.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Micro-Enterprise Training, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, and Vocational Training.

### **UNION OF PAN ASIAN COMMUNITIES**

Location: 5296 University Avenue, Suite F2

San Diego, CA 92105

Contact: Ahmed Sahid, Program Manager/Chi Tran, Division Manager

Phone: (619) 286-8880

Fax: (619) 229-2266

E-mail: [asahid@upacsd.com](mailto:asahid@upacsd.com)

Website: [www.upacsd.com](http://www.upacsd.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Mental Health Services, Youth Services, Substance Abuse Treatment, and Domestic Violence Intervention.

### **UNITED CAMBODIAN COMMUNITY**

Location: 2338 E. Anaheim Street, Suite 200

Long Beach, CA 90804

Contact: James Dok

Phone: (562) 433-2490

Fax: (562) 433-0564

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Mental Health Services, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, and Youth Services.

### **VIETNAMESE INTERNATIONAL POETRY SOCIETY**

Location: 5412 47<sup>th</sup> Avenue #25

Sacramento, CA 95824

Contact: Sinh Le

Phone: (916) 391-5277

Fax: (916) 391-5277

E-mail: [nhushoalesinh@yahoo.com](mailto:nhushoalesinh@yahoo.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Preservation of Vietnamese culture and language.

### **VIETNAMESE COMMUNITY CENTER OF SAN FRANCISCO**

Location: 766 Geary Street  
San Francisco, CA 94109  
Contact: Thai Dang  
Phone: (415) 351-1038  
Fax: (415) 351-1039  
E-mail: [info@vietccsf.org](mailto:info@vietccsf.org)  
Website: [www.vietccss.org](http://www.vietccss.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Information/Referrals, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.

### **VIETNAMESE COMMUNITY OF ORANGE COUNTY, INC.**

Location: 1618 W. First Street  
Santa Ana, CA 92703  
Contact: Mr. Anh Nguyen, Interim Director  
Phone: (714) 558-6009  
Fax: (714) 558-6120  
E-mail: [vncoc@aol.com](mailto:vncoc@aol.com)  
Website: [www.vncoc.org](http://www.vncoc.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation (for seniors), and Youth Services.

### **VIETNAMESE VOLUNTARY FOUNDATION**

Location: 2260 Quimby Road  
San Jose, CA 95122  
Contact: Diem Ngo  
Phone: (408) 532-7755  
Fax: (408) 532-1699  
E-mail: [vivoinfo@sol.com](mailto:vivoinfo@sol.com)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Translator/Interpreter Services, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.

### **WORLD RELIEF**

Location: 54 N. Oakland Avenue  
Pasadena, CA 91101  
Contact: Houry Abajian  
Phone: (626) 229-0346  
Fax: (626) 229-0348  
E-mail: [habajian@wr.org](mailto:habajian@wr.org)  
Website: [www.wr.org](http://www.wr.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Information/Referrals, Refugee Resettlement and Immigration Services.

**WORLD RELIEF**

Location: 4748 Engle Road, Suite 103  
Carmichael, CA 95608  
Contact: Joy Dorman  
Phone: (916) 978-2657  
Fax: (916) 978-2658  
E-mail: [beastman@wr.org](mailto:beastman@wr.org)  
Website: [www.wr.org](http://www.wr.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Cultural Orientation, Family Strengthening, Health Services (seniors), and Refugee Resettlement.

**WORLD RELIEF**

Location: 20394 San Miguel Avenue  
Castro Valley, CA 94546  
Contact: Laura Mirzoyan, Director  
Phone: (510) 583-9117  
Fax: (510) 583-9116  
E-mail: [LMirzoyan@wr.org](mailto:LMirzoyan@wr.org)  
Website: [www.wr.org](http://www.wr.org)

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Information/Referrals, Refugee Resettlement, and Translator/Interpreter Services (provided for Russian speaking and Vietnamese speaking refugees).

**WORLD RELIEF: SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

Location: 13121 Brookhurst Street #G  
Garden Grove, CA 92843  
Contact: Dwayne E. Nordstrom, Affiliate Director  
Phone: (714) 210-4730  
Fax: (714) 210-4733  
E-mail:

SERVICES PROVIDED: Citizenship Preparation, Counseling, Cultural Orientation, Elder Services, Emergency Assistance, Employment Services, English Language Training, Family Strengthening, Health Services, Information/Referrals, Legal Services, Mental Health Services, Micro-Enterprise Training, Refugee Resettlement, Translator/Interpreter Services, Transportation, Vocational Training, and Youth Services.

**WORLD RELIEF: STOCKTON**

Location: 640 North Center Street  
Stockton, CA 95206  
Contact: Lyne Do  
Phone: (209) 943-6919  
Fax: (209) 943-6881

SERVICES PROVIDED: Refugee Resettlement and Vocational Training.



To make changes or to be included in the next update of the Refugee Services Agencies Resources Directory, please complete the following Inquiry Form and E-mail or mail to:

**California Department of Social Services  
Refugee Programs Branch**

744 P Street, MS 6-646

Sacramento, CA 95814

**Attn:** Bonnie Brady, Program Analyst

**E-mail:** [bonnie.brady@dss.ca.gov](mailto:bonnie.brady@dss.ca.gov)

**SERVICE PROVIDER:** \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Web Page: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Services Provided:** (Please give a brief description of the services you provide)

Citizen preparation	Yes__	No__
Counseling	Yes__	No__
Cultural orientation	Yes__	No__
Elder services	Yes__	No__
Emergency assistance	Yes__	No__
Employment services	Yes__	No__
English language training	Yes__	No__
Family strengthening services	Yes__	No__
Health services	Yes__	No__
Information/referrals	Yes__	No__
Legal services	Yes__	No__
Mental health services	Yes__	No__
Micro-Enterprise training	Yes__	No__
Refugee resettlement	Yes__	No__
Translator/interpreter services	Yes__	No__
Transportation	Yes__	No__
Vocational training	Yes__	No__
Youth services	Yes__	No__
Other services	Yes__	No__

If yes, please list the services: \_\_\_\_\_

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